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Item for the Daily Log - 24 July 52

25X1 [] of Procurement notified me that NPA might be able to have Frigidaire allocate eighty units of air conditioning a week to CIA but would need a statement of our authority to procure to support their action. [] Procurement priorities man, and I went to see Mr. Fitzpatrick of NPA and I outlined the background of our authority to procure the equipment. Mr. Fitzpatrick told us that in view of what I had given him if we could give him in writing a statement that the money had been allocated by the Bureau of the Budget, that we were authorized to buy such equipment, and that there was no objection on the part of GSA, he would reopen the case and attempt to get early action from Frigidaire. I drafted such a statement with [] and Mr. [] referring to the specific allocation from the Bureau of the Budget for necessary funds and stated that our authority to procure lay in Public Law 110; also that GSA had approved procurement through our facilities rather than through their own. I suggested that it would be proper for [] to sign the statement.

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